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# HERBST BROTHERS

FLOWER — VEGETABLE — LAWN GRASS — TREE &amp; SHRUB SEED

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## VEGETABLE SEEDS

	1-4 Lbs.	5-9 Lbs.	10-49 Lbs.	Larger Lots
<b>ASPARAGUS</b>				
Mary Washington	1.30	1.25	1.20	1.15
Calif. No. 500	2.65	2.55	2.50	—
Paradise	1.70	1.65	1.60	1.55
Robert's Strain	7.00	7.50	6.50	6.00
<b>BEANS</b>				
Scotia	.50	.40	.35	—
Yard Long	.38	.37	.35	.33
<b>BEET</b>				
Crosby's Egyptian	.65	.55	.45	.40
Detroit Dark Red	.65	.55	.45	.40
Detroit Perfected	.75	.65	.55	.50
Early Blood Turnip	.65	.55	.45	.40
Early Wonder	.65	.55	.45	.40
Extra Early Flat Egyptian	.65	.55	.45	.40
Perfected Detroit	.75	.65	.55	.50
<b>SWISS CHARD</b>				
Fordhook Giant	.70	.60	.50	.45
Lucullus	.70	.60	.50	.45
White Rib Dark Green	.70	.60	.50	.45
<b>MANGOLD OR FODDER BEET</b>				
Danish Slidstrup	.50	.40	.30	.18
Giant Half Sugar Green	.50	.40	.30	.18
Giant Half Sugar Rose	.50	.40	.30	.18
Mammoth Long Red	.55	.45	.35	.23
Red Eckendorf	.50	.40	.30	.18
Sugar Beet	.50	.40	.30	.18
<b>BROCCOLI</b>				
Calabrese, Regular Strain	1.10	1.00	.90	.80
Early Green Sprouting	1.10	1.00	.90	.80
<b>BRUSSELS SPROUTS</b>				
Long Island Improved	1.10	1.00	.90	.80
<b>CABBAGE</b>				
All Head Early	1.15	1.05	.95	.85
All Seasons	1.15	1.05	.95	.85
Charleston Wakefield	1.05	.95	.85	.75
Copenhagen Market	1.00	.90	.80	.70
Copenhagen Mkt. ely. str.	1.00	.90	.80	.70
Copenhagen Market Select	1.30	1.15	—	—
Danish Ballhead	1.50	1.40	—	—
Early Dwarf Flat Dutch	1.05	.95	.85	.80
Early Flat Dutch	1.05	.95	.85	.80
Ferry's Round Dutch	1.10	1.00	.90	.80
Glory of Enkhuizen	1.00	.90	.80	.70
Glory of Enkhuizen Select	1.30	1.15	—	—
Golden Acre	1.05	.95	.85	.80
Golden Acre Select	1.30	1.15	—	—
Jersey Wakefield	1.00	.90	.80	.70
Late Flat Dutch	1.15	1.05	.95	.85
Midseason Market	1.00	.90	.80	.70
Stein's Early Flat Dutch	1.15	1.05	.95	.85
Succession	1.15	1.05	.95	.85
Surehead	1.15	1.05	.95	.85
<b>Red</b>				
Red Acre Choice Imp.	1.90	1.80	—	—
Red Rock Mammoth	1.60	1.50	—	—
<b>Savoy</b>				
Chieftain	1.05	.95	.85	.75
Drumhead Savoy	1.05	.95	.85	.75

	1-4 Lbs.	5-9 Lbs.	10-49 Lbs.	Larger Lots
<b>CABBAGE—Continued</b>				
Yellows Resistant				
Detroit Resistant	—	—	1.75	—
Golden Acre	—	—	2.00	—
Jersey Queen	—	—	1.50	—
Marion Market (Choice)	—	—	1.50	—
Wisconsin All Head	—	—	1.25	—
Wisconsin All Seasons	—	—	1.50	—
Wisconsin Ballhead	—	—	2.00	—
Wisconsin Globe	—	—	1.50	—
Wisconsin Hollander #8	—	—	2.00	—
<b>CABBAGE CHINESE</b>				
Chihihi	—	—	.70	.60
Michihili	—	—	.70	.60
Market Pride	—	—	.70	.65
Wong Bok (true oriental)	—	—	.70	.60
<b>CARDOON</b>				
Tenderheart	—	—	1.75	1.65
<b>CARROT</b>				
Chantenay	—	—	1.00	.90
Chantenay Long	—	—	1.00	.90
Chantenay Red Core	—	—	1.00	.90
Danvers Half Long	—	—	1.00	.90
Imperator	—	—	1.00	.90
Nantes	—	—	1.10	1.05
Oxheart	—	—	1.00	.90
<b>CAULIFLOWER</b>				
Autumn Giant	—	—	5.50	5.00
Snowball Early	—	—	5.50	5.00
Erfurter #16	—	—	5.50	5.00
Snowball Main Crop	—	—	5.50	5.00
<b>CELERIAC</b>				
Giant Prague	—	—	3.25	3.00
<b>CELERY</b>				
Giant Pascal	—	—	3.00	2.75
Golden Plume	—	—	3.00	2.75
Golden Self Blanching	—	—	3.50	—
<b>CHIVES</b>	—	—	4.75	—
<b>COLLARDS</b>				
Georgia	—	—	.75	.70
<b>CORIANDER</b>				
—	—	—	.80	.70
<b>CHIVES</b>	—	—	.60	—
<b>CRESS</b>				
Curled or Pepper Grass	—	—	.55	.50
Upland	—	—	.70	.65
Water Cress	—	—	5.00	—
<b>CUCUMBER</b>				
A & C	—	—	.90	.80
Arlington White Spine	—	—	.85	.75
Black Diamond Stays				
Green	—	—	.85	.75
Boston Pickle	—	—	.85	.75
Chicago Pickle	—	—	.85	.75
Colorado	—	—	.90	.80
Davis Perfect	—	—	.90	.80
Early Fortune	—	—	.90	.80
Improved Long Green	—	—	.90	.80
Marketer	—	—	1.00	.90
National Pickle	—	—	.85	.75
Puerto Rico #39	—	—	1.05	1.00
Snows Pickle	—	—	.85	.75
Straight Eight	—	—	.95	.85
White Spine Improved	—	—	.85	.75

## VEGETABLE SEEDS

	1-4 Lbs.	5-9 Lbs.	10-49 Lbs.	Larger Lots
<b>CULANTRO</b>				
Coriander	.80	.70	.60	—
<b>EGG PLANT</b>				
Black Beauty	3.95	3.70	3.60	—
Florida High Bush	3.95	3.70	3.60	—
Long Purple	3.25	3.20	—	—
New York Improved	3.95	3.70	3.60	—
<b>ENDIVE</b>				
Batavian Full Heart (Escarolle)	.85	—	—	—
Green Curled Ruffec	.85	—	—	—
White Curled	.85	—	—	—
<b>FENNEL</b>				
Florence	1.25	—	—	—
<b>HERBS</b>				
Anise	.50	.70	1.95	
Basil, Sweet Lettuce Leaf	.50	.75	2.25	
Borage		.50	1.50	
Catnip	.80	2.35	7.00	
Chives	.55	1.60	4.75	
Coriander		.50	.80	
Dill			.60	
Fennel, Florence		.50	1.25	
Fennel, Sweet		.50	1.50	
Hyssop	.50	1.50	4.50	
Marjoram, Sweet	.50	1.35	4.00	
Peppermint (M. Piperita)	5.75	16.00	—	
Roquette		.50	1.10	
Rue	.60	1.80	5.30	
Saffron		.50	1.50	
Sage	.50	1.10	3.30	
Savory, Summer	.50	1.00	3.00	
Sorrel		.60	1.70	
Wormwood	.50	1.20	3.50	
<b>KALE</b>				
Siberian Dwf. Curled	.75	—	—	—
Dwarf Blue Curled	.80	—	—	—
Dwarf Green Curled	.75	—	—	—
<b>KOHL RABI</b>				
Early Purple Vienna	.95	.85	.75	.70
Early White Vienna	.95	.85	.75	.70
<b>LEEK</b>				
American Flag	1.75	1.65	1.55	—
Musselburgh	1.75	1.65	1.55	—
<b>LETTUCE</b>				
Bibb	1.35	1.25	—	—
Big Boston, W.S.	1.00	.95	.90	.85
Black Seeded Simpson	1.00	.90	.80	—
Denver Mkt.	1.70	1.60	1.50	—
Early Curled Simpson	1.00	.90	.80	—
Grand Rapids, B.S.	1.00	.90	.80	—
Great Lakes, W.S.	2.75	2.50	2.30	—
Hubbard Market, W.S.	1.30	1.25	1.20	1.15
Iceberg, W.S.	1.65	1.55	1.45	1.35
Imperial 44 W.S.	1.75	1.65	1.55	—
Imperial 847 B.S.	1.75	1.65	1.55	—
Mignonette, B.S.	1.80	1.70	1.65	—
New York 12 W.S.	1.75	1.65	1.55	—
New York 515 W.S.	1.75	1.65	1.55	—
New York or Wonderful	1.70	1.60	1.50	—
Oak Leaf	1.60	—	—	—
Prizehead, W.S.	1.00	.90	.85	.80
Tom Thumb	1.15	1.10	—	—
White Boston, W.S. (Unrivalled)	1.00	.95	.90	.85
<b>LETTUCE—Romaine</b>				
Dark Green Cos	1.05	.95	.85	—
Eiffel Tower B.S.	1.05	.95	.85	—
White Paris (Trianon)	1.05	.95	.85	—
<b>MANGEL—See Beet</b>				
<b>MUSKMELON</b>				
Early Hackensack	.98	.88	.78	—
Hales Best	1.08	.98	.88	—
Hales Best #36	1.08	.98	.88	—
Honey Rock	.98	.88	.78	—
Rocky Ford Green Flesh	.98	.88	.78	—

	1-4 Lbs.	5-9 Lbs.	10-49 Lbs.	Larger Lots
<b>WATERMELON</b>				
Black Diamond		.90	.85	.80
B. S. Chilean		1.00	.95	.90
Dixie Queen W.R.	1.10	1.05	1.00	.95
Florida Giant		.95	.90	.85
Kleckleys Sweet Imp.		.95	.90	.85
Stone Mountain		.95	.90	.85
Tom Watson		.90	.85	.80
Wonder		.95	.90	.85
<b>MUSTARD</b>				
Chinese Broadleaf		.50	.45	—
Florida Broadleaf		.55	.50	—
Fordhook		.50	.45	.40
Southern Giant Curled L.S.		.50	.40	.38
Tendergreen		.50	.45	.35
<b>OKRA</b>				
Perkins Long Pod		.75	.70	.65
<b>ONION</b>				
Crystal Wax, Imported	1.80	1.70	1.60	1.50
Crystal Wax, Domestic	1.80	1.70	1.60	1.50
Early Calif. Red	2.90	2.80	2.70	2.60
Evergreen or White Bunch.	1.90	1.80	1.70	—
Prizetaker	2.50	2.40	2.30	2.20
Red Bermuda	2.05	1.95	1.85	1.75
Red Creole		2.55	2.45	2.25
White Sweet Spanish	2.70	2.60	2.50	2.40
Yellow Bermuda, Impd.	1.80	1.70	1.60	1.50
Yellow Bermuda, Dom.	1.80	1.70	1.60	1.50
Yellow Excel 986	3.30	3.20	3.10	3.00
Yellow Sweet Spanish	2.70	2.60	2.50	2.40
<b>PARSLEY</b>				
Double Curled	.85	.75	.70	—
Moss Curled	.85	.75	.70	—
Plain	.85	.75	.70	—
<b>PARSNIP</b>				
Hollow Crown		.85	.75	.60
<b>PEPPER</b>				
Bell or Bullnose	2.85	2.60	2.50	—
California Wonder	2.85	2.60	2.50	2.40
Chinese Giant	3.85	3.60	3.50	3.40
Florida Giant	3.10	2.85	2.70	2.60
Hungarian Wax Hot	3.90	3.80	3.70	3.60
Long Red Cayenne	3.50	3.25	3.20	3.15
Pimiento Perfection	3.75	3.50	—	—
Ruby Giant	3.00	2.75	2.65	—
Ruby King	3.25	3.00	2.90	—
World Beater	3.00	2.75	2.65	—
<b>RADISH</b>				
Crimson Giant	.54	.49	.44	.39
Icecle	.54	.49	.45	.39
Perfection	.75	.70	.65	.60
Scarlet Globe	.54	.49	.45	.39
Scarlet Globe Short Top	.56	.52	.47	.42
Scarlet Globe Short Top Select		.65	.60	.55
Scarlet Turnip White Tip	.54	.49	.44	.39
Southern Market Globe	.65	.57	.52	.47
Sparkler	.54	.49	.44	.39
Oriental Varieties				
Nerima Long	.60	.55	.50	—
Sakurajima Mammoth	.70	.65	.60	—
<b>Winter Varieties</b>				
China Winter Rose	.55	.52	.47	.42
Long Black Spanish	.60	.55	.50	—
Round Black Spanish	.60	.55	.50	—
<b>RHUBARB</b>				
Linnaeus		1.00	.90	.80
Victoria		1.00	.90	.80
<b>ROQUETTE—See Herbs</b>				
<b>SAGE—See Herbs</b>				
<b>SALSIFY</b>				
Mammoth Sandwich Isld.	2.50	—	—	—

Minimum charge 50 cents per item.

678 Broadway, New York 12, N. Y.

# VEGETABLE SEEDS

SPINACH	1-4 Lbs.	5-9 Lbs.	10-49 Lbs.	Larger Lots
Bloomsdale dark green	.50	.40	.30	.25
Bloomsdale longstanding	.50	.40	.30	.25
Bloomsdale reselected	.50	.40	.30	.25
Old Dominion	.50	.40	.30	.25
Va. Blight Res.	.50	.40	.30	.25
Viroflay	.50	.40	.30	.25

SWISS CHARD—See Beet

## TOMATO

Beeksteak	6.00	—	—	—
Bonny Best	3.75	3.50	—	—
Break O'Day	4.25	4.00	3.75	—
Cardinal	3.60	3.50	—	—
Earliana	3.85	3.60	3.50	—
Firesteel	4.75	4.50	—	—
Garden State	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
Golden Jubilee	5.00	4.50	—	—
Greater Baltimore	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
Grothen Globe	3.75	3.50	—	—
John Baer	3.75	3.50	—	—
Marglobe	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
Marglobe Select	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
<b>Marglobe Certified</b>	4.50	4.25	—	—
New Stone	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
Oxheart	7.50	—	—	—
Ponderosa	6.00	—	—	—
Pritchard	3.75	3.50	—	—
Rutgers	1.50	1.40	1.35	1.30
Rutgers Select	1.95	1.85	1.75	1.65
<b>Rutgers Certified</b>	3.10	2.85	2.60	2.50
San Marzano	3.50	3.25	—	—
Southland	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
Stokesdale	2.45	2.30	2.15	2.00
Valiant	3.00	2.80	2.70	2.60

TOMATO—Continued	1-4 Lbs.	5-9 Lbs.	10-49 Lbs.	Larger Lots
Small Fruited	—	—	—	—
Red Cherry	4.00	—	—	—
Yellow Peach	4.00	—	—	—
Yellow Pear	4.00	—	—	—

### F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID TOMATO SEED

Hand Pollinated by T. Sakata &amp; Co.

	oz.	1/4 lb.
23V—Valiant x Earliana	\$15.00	\$45.00
68E—Rutgers x Valiant	15.00	45.00
Ask for 1953 Crop Prices		

## TURNIP

Amber Globe	.50	.45	.30	.28
Cowhorn	.50	.45	.30	.28
Pomeranian White Globe	.50	.45	.30	.28
Purple Top Milan	.50	.45	.30	.25
Purple Top Strap Leaf	.50	.45	.30	.28
Purple Top White Globe	.50	.35	.25	.20
Seven Top	.50	.45	.35	.30
Shogoin	.50	.45	.35	.30
Snowball	.50	.45	.35	.30
Tokyo Market (Sakata)	.60	.55	.50	—
White Egg	.50	.45	.30	.28
White Flat Dutch	.50	.45	.35	.30

## RUTABAGA

American Purple Top	.50	.45	.30	.25
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Minimum charge 50 cents per item.

# FLOWER SEED—IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

## ASK FOR COMPLETE LIST

	oz.	lb.
Alyssum benthami comp Lilac Queen	.55	5.00
Alyssum benthami comp Little Gem	.60	5.50
Alyssum benthami comp Violet Queen	.55	5.00
Aster American Branching W R mixed	.60	6.00
Aster American Separate colors	.70	7.00
Aster California Gts W R mixed	1.00	12.00
Aster California Separate colors	1.20	15.00
Aster Crego Giants W R mixed	.60	6.00
Aster Crego Separate colors	.70	7.00
Balsam dbl Camellia fl mixed	.50	3.75
Calendula dbl mixed	.30	1.80
Carnation Chabaud Imp mixed	1.20	15.00
Carnation Chabaud Separate colors	1.50	20.00
Carnation Enfant de Nice	2.45	35.00
Carnation Enfant Separate colors	6.00	—
Carnation Grenadin mixed	1.40	18.00
Carnation Grenadin Separate colors	1.80	23.00
Carnation Marguerite mixed	.90	10.00
Celosia cristata dwarf mixed	.60	6.00
Celosia cristata tall mixed	.50	4.00
Celosia plumosa df Fiery Feather	.55	4.50
Celosia plumosa df Golden Feather	.55	4.50
Celosia plumosa tall mixed	.35	2.00
Centaurea cyanus dbl mixed	.35	2.00
Coleus extra lg leaved mixed	1.80	25.00
Convolvulus Japanese Imperial mixed	.30	1.35
Cosmos el fl Mammoth mixed	.40	2.75
Cypress Vine scarlet, white or mixed	.40	2.50
Dahlia Unwins df hybrids mixed	.60	6.00
Gypsophila elegans London Market	—	—
lg fl white	.30	1.50
Gypsophila paniculata dbl white	1.60	22.00
Gypsophila paniculata sgl white	.40	2.50
Hollyhock Chater's dbl mixed	.70	7.00
Hollyhock Chater's Separate colors	1.00	12.00
Ipomoea Heavenly Blue	.40	2.50
Ipomoea Scarlet O'Hara	.40	2.50
Lupinus polyphyllus Russell's hybrids	.50	4.00

	oz.	lb.
Marigold African tall dbl mixed	.45	3.00
Marigold French df dbl mixed	.50	3.50
Mirabilis jalapa or Four O'Clocks mixed	—	1.25
Nasturtium df sgl mixed	—	.90
Nasturtium tall sgl mixed	—	.85
Pansy Trimardeau Giants mixed	1.10	14.00
Pansy Swiss Giants mixed	3.40	50.00
Pansy Swiss Giants Separate colors	4.00	60.00
Pansy Swiss Giants dwarf mixed	4.00	55.00
Petunia hybrida mixed	.60	6.00
Phlox dr lg fl mixed	.80	9.00
Portulaca dbl mixed	1.20	15.00
Portulaca sgl mixed	.75	8.00
Salvia splendens Bonfire	1.50	19.00
Verbena hybrida mixed	.70	7.00
Zinnia California Gts mixed	.50	4.00
Zinnia California Gts Separate colors	.55	4.50
Zinnia Dahlia fl mixed	.50	4.00
Zinnia Dahlia fl Separate colors	.55	4.50
Zinnia Lilliput or Pompon mixed	.50	4.00
Zinnia Lilliput Separate colors	.55	4.50

## 1953 CROP CONTRACT PRICES

	lb.
Cobea scandens	8.00
Grevillea robusta	9.00
Pelargonium zonale	10.00
Ricinus mixed	.35
Ricinus zanzibariensis	.45
Salvia splendens	17.00
Salvia splendens America	21.00
Salvia splendens Blaze of Fire	30.00
Salvia splendens Bonfire	19.00
Salvia splendens Firebrand	25.00
Salvia splendens St. John's Fire	30.00
Salvia splendens Zurich	21.00

# Price List

## Vegetable Seed

## Wholesale

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## GRASS AND CLOVER SEEDS

### WHOLESALE PRICES

Subject to Market Fluctuations

	Per 100 lbs.
Alfalfa (Medicago Sativa)	\$ 41.00
Arizona (Southern type)	50.00
Grimm (Variegated, hardy type)	42.00
Hairy Peruvian	
Red Clover (Trifolium pratense)	46.00
Medium	44.00
Mammoth	62.00
White Clover (Trifolium repens)	67.00
Wild White Clover (Trifolium repens)	48.00
Alsike Clover (Trifolium hybridum)	
Ladino Clover (Trifolium repens var. latum)	100.00
Lespedeza	
Korean (Lespedeza stipulacea)	31.00
Kobe (Lespedeza striata)	36.00
Sericia, scarified	36.00
Timothy (Phleum pratense)	24.00
Kentucky Blue (Poa pratensis)	68.00
Creeping Bent (Agrostis maritima)	100.00
Red Top (Agrostis alba)	60.00
Alta Fescue (Festuca elatior var. arundinacea)	40.00
Kentucky 31 Fescue (Festuca elatior var. arundinacea)	36.00
Chewings Fescue (Festuca rubra var. commutata)	65.00
Creeping Red Fescue (Festuca rubra)	60.00
Meadow Fescue (Festuca elatior)	26.00
Orchard Grass (Dactylis glomerata)	36.00
Brome Grass (Bromus inermis)	
Lincoln, Southern type	49.00
Canada, No. 1	34.00
Bermuda Grass, hulled (Cynodon dactylon)	80.00
Domestic Rye (Lolium multiflorum)	16.00
Perennial Rye (Lolium perenne)	19.00
Holcus lanatus	Ask

Ex New York warehouse.  
Double bags extra at cost.

Single bags included.  
Gross for net weight.

Prices for less than 100 lbs. slightly higher.

### LAWN SEED MIXTURES

Suitable for Central and South American climates.

100 lbs.

PARK LAWN MIXTURE	\$52.00
CONTRACTOR'S MIXTURE	30.00
Ex New York warehouse, net weights, single bags included, double bags extra at cost.	

Formulas prepared according to your own specifications quoted on request.

### OUR PRICE POLICY

Our prices are based on the quantity ordered, so that our customer's requirements are supplied at the lowest possible prices.

If your requirements are larger than the quantity quoted, be sure to secure our special quotations. Also, let us quote for future delivery.

### F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID VEGETABLE SEED

Avail yourself of the facilities of T. Sakata & Co., well known seed growers of Yokohama, Japan, for the careful production of your requirements of hand pollinated TOMATO, PEPPER, WATERMELON, EGG PLANT, SQUASH and other Vegetable Seeds. They do amazingly accurate work at astonishingly low prices.

For details see T. Sakata & Co's. 1953 crop catalogue or write to us.